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**Subject**: Thank you for protecting NC's water

Dear Gov. Roy A. Cooper III,

I'm writing to thank you for requesting additional information as you evaluate a decision on the water certification for Duke's proposed Atlantic Coast Pipeline. This project is too much of a risk to our state and jeopardizes already vulnerable communities.

We need leaders like you to continue to protect our waterways, and ensure projects like this don't put extra burden on the Native Americans, low-income residents, and communities of color that would have had the pipeline forced onto their homes and neighborhoods.

I am a native of North Carolina. I have actually lived in every area of the state. I was born in Wilmington but have lived in the mountains, including Boone, Sylva and Asheville; the foothills around Spindale, and the middle cities such as Raleigh, Greensboro and Durham. I especially love the mountains, but this state is unique in its environmental diversity and beauty. That's why it's so important to protect our natural resources! This should never be a partisan issue: what's at stake is the quality of life in this wonderful state, and this can be done by making sure ALL of us- including business enterprises, respect our lands, our water, our air, our wildlife, and especially citizens' health and well-being. You

don't have to compromise the health of all these things just to make a buck. You can have both: but only if we as citizens of the state work together and not allow ourselves to be swayed by those who only care about their own desires and profits. Thank you again for protecting North Carolina's water! Thank you!

Sincerely,

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